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Docket No.: 050023-0148

**PATENT**



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Re Application of

Eiji UEDA

Application No.: 09/939,789

Filed: August 28, 2001

: Customer Number: 20277

: Confirmation Number: 2857

: Group Art Unit: 2611

: Examiner: Christopher Grant

For: RECEIVING DEVICE, DATA BROADCAST RECEIVING SYSTEM, CONTENT  
ACCESSING METHOD, AND PROGRAM THEREOF

**STATUS INQUIRY**


Mail Stop Status Inquiry  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The above-identified application was filed on August 28, 2001. Since more than three and one-half years have elapsed, and no action has been received by attorney for applicant, Applicant respectfully requests that the undersigned attorney be informed of the status of the referenced application. It is noted that the Official Gazette indicates applications filed on or before October 2, 2003 in the above-assigned Group Art Unit should have received an action on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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